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### **AMENDMENT TO THE SPECIFICATION**

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### **ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE**

An anti-skid spike which may be applied to an embedded opening on a running surface of, for example, a tire, having an insert piece and a base body with a molded flange and a recess for housing the insert piece. According to this invention, material and shape combinations not previously applied or possible can be achieved, whereby a housing selection is formed on the base body, at least partly enclosed by at least one sleeve piece and, in an assembled state, the sleeve piece is arranged at least partly in the region around the recess.